

CONNECT

We're Glad You're Here!

We want to know who we are connecting with so we can serve you better. Please complete the front and back of this slip and drop it in the offering plate. If you have filled one out before, simply write your name and any new information.

Names: _____

Children: _____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

_____ Age _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (h) _____

(w) _____

(cell) _____

E-Mail address: _____

This is an address change

This is your: First Time Second Time

Third Time Fourth Time

Reg. Attender Member

Are you: Married Single

Single again Widowed

Age Group: Under 18 18-22

23-30 31-35

36-40 41-50

51-60 60+

How did you hear about Valley?

Drove by Newspaper

Yellow Pages Friend

Website

Other _____

Visiting with _____

Please contact me about a visit from the Pastor.

Calendar

Today, Sunday, January 29, 2017

9:30 a.m.	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	Fellowship Time	St. Andrews Hall
10:45 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages	Downstairs
11:00 a.m.	Adult SS	Pommrehn Lounge

Monday, January 30, 2017

6:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts	St. Andrews Hall
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts	Downstairs

Tuesday, January 31, 2017

7:00 p.m.	No Room at the Inn Mtg	Pommrehn Lounge
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Wednesday, February 1, 2017-Deadline for Sunday Bulletins

4:00 p.m.	Prayer Group	Pommrehn Lounge
5:30 p.m.	Bell Choir	
6:00 p.m.	Choir	

Thursday, February 2, 2017

Friday, February 3, 2017

Saturday, February 4, 2017

Next Sunday, February 5, 2017-Scouting Sunday

8:30 a.m.	Adult SS	Pommrehn Lounge
9:30 a.m.	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	Fellowship Time	St. Andrews Hall
10:45 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages	Downstairs
11:00 a.m.	Fellowship Brunch	St. Andrews Hall

Lenten Study: Please take note of the insert in the bulletin to learn more about this year's Lenten Study to begin **Wednesday, February 22**. Sign the Connect if you plan to participate.

**Save the Date: Valley UMC Talent Show
Saturday, March 4!**

**January COG Donation Item: Bar Soap and Shaving Cream
February COG Donation Item: Toilet Paper**

**Please place your items in the tubs in the Mission Central area of
the St. Andrews Hall.**



“The Five”



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Order of Worship

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

January 29, 2017

Entrance and Gathering of Christ's People

Preludes "See What His Love Can Do" J.S. Bach
"I Love Thee, O Lord, With All My Heart" J.S. Bach

Announcements

Chimes and the Ministry of Acolytes

*Call to Worship from Micah 6 and Psalm 15

L: Hear what the Lord says: Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice.

P: "O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied you? Answer me! For I brought you up from the land of Egypt, and redeemed you from the house of slavery."

L: "With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams?"

P: He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

L: O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill? Those who walk blamelessly, and do what is right, and speak the truth from their heart; who do not slander with their tongue.

All: Those who do no evil to their friends, nor take up a reproach against their neighbors; who stand by their oath even to their hurt; and do not take a bribe against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be moved.

*Hymn of Praise "For All the Saints" 711 UMH

*Sharing of Greetings and Peace

L: Peace be with you.

P: Also with you!

Children's Message Pastor Ken

Witness in Music "With Joy and Music" Adult Choir

*Hymn "Fairest Lord Jesus" 189 UMH

Scripture Micah 6:1-8 Pew Bible OT 1060
1 Corinthians 1:18-31 Pew Bible NT 202

*Matthew 5:1-12 Pew Bible NT 4

Message "The Five" Rev. Ken Ferguson

Offertory "We Follow the Star" Paxton

*Doxology

Life in the Spirit

(Please note: In an effort to make sure everyone can share in our Life in the Spirit moments, please remember to stand up and face the congregation when speaking.)

The Lord's Prayer: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" 451 UMH

*Benediction-Shalom to You (UMH 666)

*Postlude "Epilogue" Scott

*Please stand as you are able.

Worship has ended...now the service begins!

Welcome, Visitors!

Nursery care, large print hymnals, large print bulletins are available by contacting an usher.

Today's Worship Servants: Organist: Karen Hutzell; Choir Director: David Rozendaal; Hand Bell Director: Lynelle Meyer; Computer Operator: Phil Nicolino; Worship Servants: Michael Hayes, Marilyn Hanson, Nathan Henn; Fellowship Hosts: Bonnie Constant and Arlene Eckhart; Nursery Attendant: Kim Tyrrell; Nursery Volunteer: Deb Stensrud; Church open: Deb Stensrud; Church close: Vi Darsee.

Children in Worship: We welcome your children and are glad you have chosen to bring them to church! Childcare is provided for infants and toddlers up to 5 years of age. After the Children's Message, our nursery attendant, Ms. Tyrrell, will be at the back of the sanctuary to lead the children to the nursery for their special time. If your child is over 5 years of age, there are activity boxes located at the back of the sanctuary or pick up one of the Children's Bulletins.

Next Week: Scouting Sunday. Scripture: Isaiah 58:1-9, Psalm 112:1-10, 1 Corinthians 2:1-12, Matthew 5:13-20.

Announcements:

February Fellowship Brunch: Be sure to sign the Connect for the Sunday, February 5 fellowship brunch. Les and Cindy have an Italian themed brunch with some delicious Italian treats planned for your enjoyment. Proceeds will be directed to purchasing new Bibles for Women at the Well. Please note: Adult Sunday School will meet at 8:30 a.m.

Men's Group Soup/Chili Challenge and All Church Birthday Party: Sunday, February 12 at 5:00 p.m. Individuals or church groups are invited to join the Men's Group in bringing crock pots of chili or soup to enter into the Challenge at 4:45 p.m. Those attending the event will vote for their favorite chili/soup with donations to Valley United Methodist Church (checks payable to VUMC). The All Church Birthday Party will follow at 6:00 p.m. Sign up on the sheet outside the church office. Contact Jaci Vega at vegadynasty@gmail.com with questions.

Ministry Opportunities @ Valley UMC

Pastoral Needs:

- I would like information concerning membership or baptism.
I would like to speak with the Pastor concerning accepting Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior.

I would like prayer for:

This prayer request is for Pastor only. Please share this request with the Grapevine Prayer ministry so others may pray with me.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES AND ATTENDANCE AT EVENTS

February Fellowship Brunch (2/5):

attending

Name:

6 Week Lenten Study (Beginning 2/22):

Name:

Phone/Email:

All are encouraged to complete the Connect portion of the bulletin. Please place your form in the offering plate.